



Prince Waldemar, son of the King of Denmark, was offered the crown of Bulgaria, but declined it because Russia objected.

Mr. J. B. Jackson, of Webster county, has bought an interest in the Madisonville Times. Zeno Young will continue to edit the paper.

John P. Cozine, Esq., has started the Shelby News, a small, but spicy weekly paper at Shelbyville. The price is only 50 cents per annum.

Samuel A. Walton, of Lancaster, Ky., was appointed Friday to be U. S. Consul at Ascension, Paraguay. He is 32 years old and unmarried.

Miss Rose E. Cleveland, after three months' experience as editor of the Chicago Life, has descended from the tripod and she and the publisher are finding "interviews" at each other.

The vote for prohibition in Caldwell was 1,083 to 761 against. Majority for dry, 322. A "Law and Order Club" has been organized at Princeton to enforce the law.

The latest census returns show that the population of London is 3,955,819; of Paris, 2,269,023; of Berlin, 1,122,330; of Vienna, 726,105; of St. Petersburg, 707,963; of Madrid, 500,000.

The returns from the elections are all in and the next House will consist of 172 Democrats, 152 Republicans and one Knight of Labor. Democratic majority 19, a net loss of 12 members.

Hon. Wm. Elliott who succeeds Small, the colored Congressman from South Carolina, is a white man and not an African as recently reported. There will not be a single colored man in the 50th Congress, something that has not happened before for 20 years.

Stone's majority over Turner in the First district was 1,254. Turner carried Ballard, Calloway, Graves, Marshall, McCracken and Trigg counties, the latter by 55 majority. Caldwell gave Stone his largest majority, 676.

Gold-hunters are reported to have discovered an electric pit in Georgia, immersion in which is a sure specific for rheumatism. It is located near Sharon, Ga., and hundreds are said to have been cured by simply rubbing themselves with the mud taken from the pit.—Courier-Journal.

They have a summary way of dealing with rebels in Afghanistan. An Afghan General who went out to subdue a body of insurgents made a report to his Government in the shape of ten car-loads of heads of rebels killed in battle, which he sent in as proof of the efficiency of his troops.—Courier-Journal.

C. H. Buchanan, Rep., is elected as the member of the State Board of Equalization for the Second district by nearly 1,000 majority over the foremost of his four Democratic opponents. This result is due entirely to the astute management of the chairman of the district committee, who ought to resign and let a competent man take his place. LaFoon's majority was nearly 3,000, for Congress and yet we are to have a Republican on the Board of Equalization.

The official count of the congressional race in this district gives John G. Carlisle, Democrat, 6,416; George H. Thobe, workingman's candidate, 5,651; Carlisle's majority 825. There is some talk of Thobe contesting Carlisle's seat on the ground that the returns in some of the country districts were doctored. Such a charge is without foundation. There is no question about Gallatin county, it being fairly taken and counted correctly.—Warsaw Independent.

The Republicans are claiming that the next Senator from Connecticut will be a Republican, but this remains to be seen. There are fifteen labor representatives in the Legislature who hold the balance of power. The Democrats carried the State, but their state ticket failed to get a majority of all the votes and the election of state officers will therefore go into the Legislature. Now suppose the Labor men should combine with the Democrats to get some of the chicken pie, isn't it within the range of possibilities that the Republicans might be mistaken in their calculations?

The majorities in Kentucky by districts at the recent election were as follows:

A Father of 165 Children.

Rep. Dem. First district..... 1,254 Second district..... 3,964 Third district..... 1,007 Fourth district..... 2,100 Fifth district..... 1,016 Sixth district..... 825 Seventh district..... 4,791 Eighth district..... 3,300 Ninth district..... 188 Tenth district..... 1,200 Eleventh district..... 1,546 2,741 16,574 Net Democratic majority... 13,833

The opponent of Stone in the First district was Turner, who pretends to be a Democrat, but whose following consists principally of Independents and Republicans. In the Seventh district Breckinridge had no opponent. His total vote, 4,791, is therefore put it the column of Democratic majorities. Is 13,833 Democratic majority in Kentucky anything to boast of?—Owensboro Inquirer.

## KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.

The majority for prohibition in Ohio county was 786.

Henry Speed, col., was found dead in bed at Versailles.

Mrs. Eliza F. Allen dropped dead of apoplexy near Flemingsburg.

An unknown tramp was found dead in the woods near Clinton.

Wm. Robinson was killed while getting out sawlogs above Henderson.

A twelve-year-old son of Walter Adams was killed by a runaway team in Muhlenberg county.

Dr. Granville Richard and Miss Ella Grant, of Louisville, eloped from Sharpsburg and were married in Jeffersonville, Thursday.

The Republican postmasters at Russellville and Cynthiana have been notified that their commissions expire Dec. 13 and 20 respectively.

Convicts at Greenwood mines made a break for liberty last week. One escaped and three were wounded by the guards, one of them severely.

Solomon Abrams, a Cincinnati drummer, was found dead in bed at Rufer's Hotel, Louisville. Saturday morning. He died of heart disease.

Mrs. Nancy Isom, aged 80, was burned to death in her house which was burned near Perryville. She died by herself and the particulars are not known.

Judge Dehaven has decided in the Shelby Circuit Court that the Board of Trustees of Shelbyville can legally refuse to grant license to druggists to sell liquor on a prescription.

In the Christian church at Clinton, Ky., to-day at high noon, there will be a double wedding, the parties being Mr. J. M. Samuels and Miss Jenny B. Beeler, of Clinton; Mr. Trevor Wayne and Miss Mary J. Moorman, of Louisville.

Elijah Vernon, the twelve year old boy who was adjudged a lunatic by a jury in the circuit court yesterday and sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville, returned to-day, having been sent back because those of his age were not admitted and also for the reason that the asylum was full anyhow. He will probably be sent to the asylum at Anchorage. His insanity was caused from epilepsy which he had been subject to almost from his birth. During his trial yesterday witnesses testified that the boy had one hundred fits in six hours when he was one year old, and that astonishing evidence has become a matter of record of the court.—Bowling Green Times.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 13.—Three alarms at 8 o'clock to-night called out all the fire engines in the city to suppress a fire which began in the middle of a handsome block of business buildings in the rear of Robinson Bros.' wholesale hardware, and spread rapidly to the surrounding buildings on the North side of Main between Sixth and Seventh streets. The flames originated in a defective fuse, and had such headway that Robinson's store and that of Wm. Cornwall, wholesale notions, were completely gutted before the fire was under control. It was thought the Louisville Hotel was on fire, and a great crowd gathered in time to see the large cistern at Sixth and Main explode, and tear up the street. This was caused by a fire in the rear of the condemned Chicago Anarchists to the United States supreme court.

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## GENERAL NEWS.

Beckham's hotel at Mattoon, Ill., has been burned.

The Catholic church and parsonage at Bellfonte, Ill., has been burned.

Wallace Wingfield, a boy of Salem, Mo., killed himself with a shot gun.

Alice Wiley, a young wife, of New Brunswick, N. J., committed suicide.

Joe Highland, a farm hand, was killed by two pet bears near Virden, Ill.

The First National bank of Indianapolis has decided to go into liquidation.

Tommy Warren and Patsy O'Leary, feather-weight, are to have another fight.

J. F. Morrow, a Southern Pacific employee, committed suicide at San Antonio.

A strike is threatened among the coke workers of the Connellsville & D. & W. districts.

Three men were poisoned, one fatally, by drinking adulterated beer at Saginaw, Mich.

President Cleveland's cottage at Washington has been christened "Oak View."

J. A. Wiltz died suddenly of hemorrhage of the lungs in the jail at Houston, Tex.

Wm. S. Wilson was hanged according to programme at Jonesboro, Ill., Friday.

Kirk Jackson, a 16-year-old boy, killed his brother Riley at Siloam Springs, Ark.

The national lighthouse board have divided the Mississippi river into two lighthouse districts.

C. J. Byles, freight agent of the Missouri Pacific at Leavenworth, has mysteriously disappeared.

Nathan Farris slept in his wagon in a drunken stupor and died from exposure in Jefferson county.

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The Cameron-Lonsdale Opera troupe has decided to return to England after filling their New York and Brooklyn engagements.

Judge Sage in the United States circuit court at Cincinnati decided the famous telephone suit in favor of the Bell company.

Charles Hudson, a negro prisoner in the Sedalia jail, poured oil on himself and set it on fire with suicidal intent. His injuries are fatal.

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## Kentucky Progress.

(Manufacturer's Record.)

Haudley & Sandefur, Henderson, Ky., have purchased machinery for a 75-barrel roller flour mill.

It is reported that the Hartsfeld Smelting Furnace & Mining Co., New Port, Ky., contemplate erecting works for manufacturing their furnaces.

The Security Storage Co., Louisville, Ky., will erect a three-story brick building, 140x222 feet to cost \$20,000.

The Golden Milling Co., capital stock \$5,000, has been incorporated at Covington, Ky., by A. B. Clossen, Jr., W. R. Smith, T. B. McFarland and Joseph Wohner.

The Western Contract Co., Louisville, Ky., have the contract to build a railroad from Dekoven, Ky., to the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad or to the Cumberland river.

The following is a list of the newly elected Board of Equalization:

1st.—J. R. Lemon, Dem.

2nd.—C. H. Buchanan, Rep.

3rd.—G. E. Speck, Rep.

4th.—T. W. Turnbull, Rep.

5th.—E. J. Hikes, Dem.

6th.—H. Clay White, Dem.

7th.—J. W. Chin, Dem.

8th.—J. A. Cohen, Dem.

9th.—Chas Kitchen, Dem.

10th.—Patrick Combs or Elijah

11th.—T. T. Reynolds, Dem.

Lawrence Donovan, the same man who jumped from Brooklyn bridge last August, leaped from the Niagara suspension bridge last week, to the water 200 feet below, escaping with a broken rib and other minor injuries. He jumped solely for glory and not for money. He is 24 years old and a native of New York.

In 1884 the prohibition vote in 13 states north of the Ohio river was 113,404. In the late election the vote in the same states was 211,334. In the doubtful States of New York, Ohio and Indiana the increase was over 37,000 votes.

Dr. Hunter, the Republican Congressman elect from the Third district, denies that he is a citizen of New Mexico and says he attaches no importance to Mr. Ille's charge that he is ineligible.

Once more the Knights of Labor have failed to accomplish anything by striking. Powderly has declared the Chicago meat packers' strike at an end and ordered the dissatisfied workers to return to their work.

Green's Anti-Bilious and Liver Compound and Ague Cure never failed. Guaranteed to cure ague, chills, biliousness and malarial fever. Try it. Price 50 cents. For sale by C. P. ATMORE, G. P. & T. A., Louisville, Ky.

Connections are made at Guthrie and Nashville for all points.

North, East, South and West.

In Pullman Palace Cars.

EMIGRANTS Seeking home

or a place to go.



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For further information apply for card of rates.

Special local 50 cents per inch for each insertion; among reading matter 20 cents per line.

Opportunities for advertising, notices of meetings, anniversaries of festivals, concourses, and all entertainments where an admission fee is charged, 5 cents per line for each insertion.

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Subscribers to the SOUTH KENTUCKIAN will be given the benefit of the following cheap rates:

S. K. and Daily Courier Journal	\$12.00
" Weekly	3.00
" Commercial	3.20
" Farmers Home Journal	3.20
" Home and Farm	2.25
" Daily World	3.50
" Semi-Weekly	3.50
" Weekly World	2.70
" Daily Standard	2.50
" N. Y. Star	2.50
" Littleton's Living Age	2.50
" Arkansas Traveler	2.50
" Detroit Free Press	2.95
" Peterson's Magazine	3.00
" Godley's Lady's Book	3.00
" Leslie's Popular Monthly	4.00
" Cottage Hearth	2.50

### CAUSES AND EFFECTS OF INTEMPERANCE.

Read By Miss Richie Campbell, Before the Temperance Society of Empire, on the 23rd Ult.

Every one is aware of the evil and degrading influence which strong drink has upon men who indulge in drinking. A great deal has been said against it, but still there are many who will drink to excess.

On the Dalrymple farm in a Cass county, Dakota, 750 acres of land are being plowed over every day.

A fifteen-foot vine of pure white chalk has been discovered in the hills near Eagle Rock, Idaho.

A rich Norwegian lawyer left all

his money to be used in buying

the Christiana school chil-

drren.

November 27 will be observed as

Arbor day in San Francisco, and the school children will plant 40,000 trees.

In a race for the prize of being

called bell of the ball it is frequently

a neck-and-neck finish with society

drum.

It is said there is but one building

in the city of Buffalo, N. Y., to-day

that conforms exactly with the build-

ing regulations.

Fragrant red ripe raspberries grow

out of doors in November make a

Wickliffe, O., gardener's palate feel

as it did in June.

The richest young man in Philadel-

phia is said to be Augustus Jesup,

twenty-four years old, with an in-

come of over \$60,000.

An amateur once asked Liszt how

to play the piano with soul. The

genial master replied: "You must

first of all have a soul."

Men cards representing Autumn

leaves with names written on them

in gold letters, are fashionable fancies

of the season.

Notwithstanding the distress

caused in Charleston by the great

quake, Mr. Barnum's show has just

taken \$14,000 away from there.

A New York clergyman in a recent

sermon exhorted his congregation to

"vote as you pray," and later on he

advised them to "pray often."

An Orient liner of 6,500 tons was

launched at Govan the other day.

She is the largest vessel that has

been built on the Clyde this year.

A pupil in English grammar in one

of the Boston schools the other day

announced that the word Emily was

an adverb because it ended in y.

A candidate for a teacher's pos-

ition in Macomb county Mich., wrote

an examination that there were

two kinds of gender, "lady and gen-

teman."

In 1864 there were eight daily pa-

pers published in Atlanta, Ga. Now

there are but three—one morning,

the Constitution, and two evening

papers.

There has just appeared in Vienna

the first number of a new English

weekly newspaper, the Vienna Echo,

Oct. 1, New Bedford, Mass.

A steamer with a stirring screw

has just cut the water that rolls

twixt Dover and Calais in fifty-eight

minutes. That is how far England

and France are apart.

What the Press Says.

The Swift Specific Co. have some-

thing interesting to say to you in an-

other column. The popularity of

their medicines is wonderful indeed;

yet, when we see how effective it is

in all diseases pertaining to the blood,

we are not surprised that its popular-

ity is so great. It is undoubtedly

one of the best blood medicines in the

world.—Examiner, Abingdon, Va.

SWIFT'S SPECIFIC.—This wonderful

blood purifier has received the en-

dorsement of many of the leading

physicians both in this country and

Europe, and the hundreds of persons

it has cured of cancer, catarrh, scro-

fuls, eczema, ulcers, rheumatism and

blood taint is remarkable. Nothing

like it has ever been known before.

This medicine is for sale in every

drug store, not only in this country,

but abroad, where it shows its popularity.

Any of our readers troubled

with any of these complaints? If so,

for a very small sum of money you

can be made perfectly well and happy.

—N. O. Picayune, Sept. 2, 1886.

The first S. S. S. or Swift's Spec-

ific, ever brought to Atlanta, Texas,

was bought by T. Caven & Co., druggists.

Aaron Blayden had been in

bad health for a long time and could

get no relief. He was almost blind.

Mr. Caven induced him to take a bot-

ton of S. S. S. The first bottle brought

him out on the streets, and the second

made a complete cure; and the second